

# NEWS

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## **Enforcement Proceedings Initiated by the Environmental Services Department**

The Environmental Services Department uses one of the following methods of legal action to enforce the Environmental Health Code and the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control Regulations:

- A Permit Revocation may be initiated against a facility/establishment that has not demonstrated compliance or has been found in violation of any applicable Code or Rule. Permit revocation may also be initiated against trailer parks, hotels, semi-public swimming pools, and retail food establishments.
- A Permit may be suspended immediately for serious Environmental Health Code violations which pose a major health hazard or for Air Quality violations. The facility/establishment would not be permitted to operate.
- Citations are issued for violations of the Health Code or Air Pollution Control Regulations. The citation directs the defendant to appear for arraignment in Justice Court.
- Cease and Desist orders are issued for serious violations of the Environmental Health Code. The violation must be corrected immediately and a hearing may be requested. Disregarding the Order will result in injunctive action in Maricopa County Superior Court.
- Orders of Abatement are issued to individuals or corporations for violations of the Maricopa County Air Pollution Control regulations.

The Environmental Services Department has initiated legal action against the following facility/establishment or individual.

<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>REASON</u></b>
La Salsita 2526 W. Van Buren St., - Phoenix	<b><u>Permit Revocation</u></b> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improper cooling of food.</li> <li>• Unlabeled chemical.</li> <li>• No soap in employee restroom.</li> </ul>
Armando's 5105 W. Thomas Rd. - Phoenix	<b><u>Permit Revocation</u></b> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improper food temperature.</li> <li>• Not sanitizing kitchen utensils.</li> <li>• Flies in kitchen.</li> </ul>
The Lucky Dragon 3316 S. McClintock Dr. - Tempe	<b><u>Permit Revocation</u></b> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Moldy cabbage.</li> <li>• Dented cans.</li> <li>• Refrigerator not holding temperature.</li> </ul>
House of Yang 13802 N. Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale	<b><u>Permit Revocation</u></b> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improper food temperature.</li> <li>• Not sanitizing equipment properly.</li> <li>• Soiled food containers.</li> </ul>
Mercado Latino 3102 W. Van Buren	<b><u>Permit Revocation</u></b> – Serious and/or repetitive Health Code violations. Examples of violations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Poor hand washing practices</li> <li>• Numerous flies.</li> <li>• Improper food storage</li> </ul>
China China 1034 E. Main - Mesa	<b><u>Permit Revoked</u></b> – Breach of Stipulation Agreement
Armando's 1127 E. Main Street, Mesa	<b><u>Permit Revoked</u></b> – Breach of Stipulation Agreement.
China Gate 2050 W. Gualdalupe, Mesa	<b><u>Permit Revoked</u></b> – Breach of Stipulation Agreement.
University Farmers Market 812 E. University - Mesa	<b><u>Cease and Desist</u></b> - Failed to qualify for permit.
The Lodge at Sun Ridge 12129 W. Bell Rd., Surprise	<b><u>Cease and Desist</u></b> - Operating a transient dwelling without a permit.
Antonio Rivera - Phoenix	<b><u>Citation</u></b> – Peddling food without a permit.
Becky Romine - Phoenix	<b><u>Citation</u></b> – Operating a pet shop without a permit.
Michael Hernandez - Scottsdale	<b><u>Citation</u></b> - Failed to obtain certification as a food manager.
Ajo Al's - Scottsdale	<b><u>Citation</u></b> - Failed to obtain certification as a food manager.
Samuel Dashner - Peoria	<b><u>Citation</u></b> - Failed to remove animal waste from property.
Agare One Ent., Inv.	<b><u>Citation</u></b> - Failed to remove animal waste from property.
Arco - 1819 E. Southern Ave, Phoenix	<b><u>Citation (3)</u></b> - Failure to clean up spilled gasoline.
Desert Sky - 8248 W. Thomas Rd., Phx.	<b><u>Citation</u></b> - Failure to clean up spilled gasoline.